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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PK, US, MORG

SUBJECT: PAKISTAN NAVY SX-404 SUBMARINE

REF: CNO 271830Z JAN 77

1. EMBOFF AND ALUSNA CALLED ON PAK NAVY DNI JANUARY 28
AND PASSED HIM SUBSTANCE OF REFTEL. DNI WAS VERY
APPRECIATE OF USN OFFER AND ASKED THAT PAK NAVY'S
THANKS BE PASSED TO USN.

2. DNI ADDED THAT PN GREATFULLY ACCEPTS OUR OFFER TO ATTEMPT
TO FIND SUB WITH P-3 SEARCH AND REITERATED THAT PAKS STAND
READY TO ASSIST IN ANY WAY POSSIBLE. HE ALSO SAID THAT WE
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CAN ASSUME FLIGHT CLEARANCES FOR P-3 ARE GRANTED IN PRINCIPLE
BUT ASKED THAT FIRM INFORMATION ON FLIGHT TIMES AND TRACK
BE FORWARDED TO PN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. PN ALSO READY TO
ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR BILLETING AND MAKING ANY OTHER
NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR P-3 CREW. PN RECOMMENDS P-3
ACFT LAND STAGE OPS OUT OF DRIGH ROAD PAF BASE, KARACHI.

3. ON QUESTION OF TIMING, DNI SAID THAT PN WOULD BE AT MAXIMUM EFFECTIVENESS TO UNDERTAKE OPERATION IN CONJUNCTION WITH P-3 ANYTIME AFTER FEBRUARY NINE RPT NINE. IF P-3 UTILIZATION SCHEDULE NECESSITATED EARLIER P-3 FLIGHTS, HOWEVER, PN WOULD TRY TO ADJUST ITS OPERATIONAL SCHEDULE ACCORDINGLY.

4. PLEASE LET US KNOW IF SEARCH BEGINNING FEBRUARY NINE IS ACCEPTABLE. ALSO, SPECIFIC FLIGHT INFORMATION FOR CLEARANCE SHOULD BE SENT AS SOON AS DATE ESTABLISHED.

5. DURING TRIP TO KARACHI THIS PAST WEEK, ALUSNA SPOKE WITH SOME OFFICERS ON BOARD THE USNS UNITS WHO MENTIONED THAT WHEN SHIPS LEAVE PORT SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, THEIR OPERATIONAL TRACK WILL TAKE THEM VERY NEAR DATUM. WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR THESE USNS UNITS WHILE THEY ARE IN DATUM AREA TO USE THEIR EQUIPMENT TO SEARCH FOR SUB? THIS WOULD SEEM TO ENTAIL NO ADDITIONAL EXPENSE TO USN, WOULD BE HIGHLY APPRECIATED BY PAKNAV AS FURTHER WILLINGNESS ON PART OF USN TO HELP, AND IF SUCCESSFUL WILL MEAN P-3 FLIGHTS NOT NECESSARY.
IF THIS SUGGESTION IS ACCEPTED, PLEASE INFORM US BY
NIACT IMMEDIATE CABLE SO WE CAN TELL PAK NAVY. PLEASE ADVISE.
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